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DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D. C. 20301

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SUBJECT: Request for Updating of National Intelligence Estimate

10-58, "Anti-Communist Resistance Potential in the

Sino-Soviet Bloc" (C)

TO:

Chairman, United States Intelligence Board

Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D. C. 20505

- 1. (S) The Defense Intelligence Agency, in order to satisfy the requirements levied upon it, has a pressing need for a current study of anti-Communist resistance potential in the Communist World. For a variety of reasons, the study must have the stature, impact, and distribution of a national intelligence estimate.
- 2. (S) NIE 10-58 was prepared in the era prior to the Sino-Soviet split. It is now felt that two national estimates should be prepared; one dealing with the USSR and Eastern Europe, the other with the Asian Communists.
- 3. (S) In view of the need for such estimates, and the exceptionally long time since NIE 10-58 was issued, it is requested that the new estimates be prepared early in 1966, at the latest.

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DIA review(s) completed.